

Perkins, Jos. E.

July 25, 1888

August 3, 1888

[2 letters, 2 dates, 1 envelope]

Syracuse. July 25/88.

Messrs L.H. & H. Chapman,
Gents.

Would like to have you
forward an assorted lot of copper
coins in good condition, of various
sizes, of Asia, Africa and Oceanica,
what I may not want myself I
think I can sell others to a couple
of my customers who want the same
kind of coins. where coppers of some
countries could not be got a few
silver might be sent, send all
the islands of oceanica if possible.
Roman Coppers of Livius, 2B. Nero &
Drusus on horseback, 2B, Macrinus 1B.
Julia Soemias 1B. Gratianus, ^{2B} Honorius, ^{2B}
Anastasius 2B. Clodius Albinus 1B.

can a second brass colonial of 6th
be got? and at what price in
good condition? or have you one?

After this order is filled I will
have a different one for you
when these returns are made.

Hoping to hear from you at
your earliest convenience with
the privilege of keeping them
2 or 3 weeks

Yours very truly
Jos E. Perkins
30 Warren St.

Syracuse. Aug. 3/88.

S. H. & W. Chapman,

Gents.

Your postal received duly.
I perceive you are rustivating, it is
well to do so when you can.
I was on to Washington in April
but went by another route by
excursion, or I would have called
on you, My next trip will be in
Nov or Dec. perhaps I may then.
I send you a corrected list of
coins in Roman Coppers. Since
I wrote you Mr Low just returned
from England sent me a lot,
I got 10 very fine pieces out of
30 pieces he sent. If you have a
few ancient Greek coppers of interest

you may send a few, if in good condition and named.

The Roman coppers I wish in good preservation, both all inscriptions plain & as well struck as possible. I got a splendid Maximus 1 B from him, the best I ever saw. for they are hard to even get good. He sent a poor Gordianus Africanus marked \$12. I bought a very fine broad spread planchet, of the elder one, for \$10.00. about two years ago. Low is very high on poor rare coins, but I don't want any of such. I have now 117 names of Roman coins, and when I sell what I now send for I will only want the very rare ones. My lot are all very fine. I could use a first class Julius Caesar 1 B. when you get it, that is obv Head Julius Rev Augustus. when a broad full planchet. Lincoln

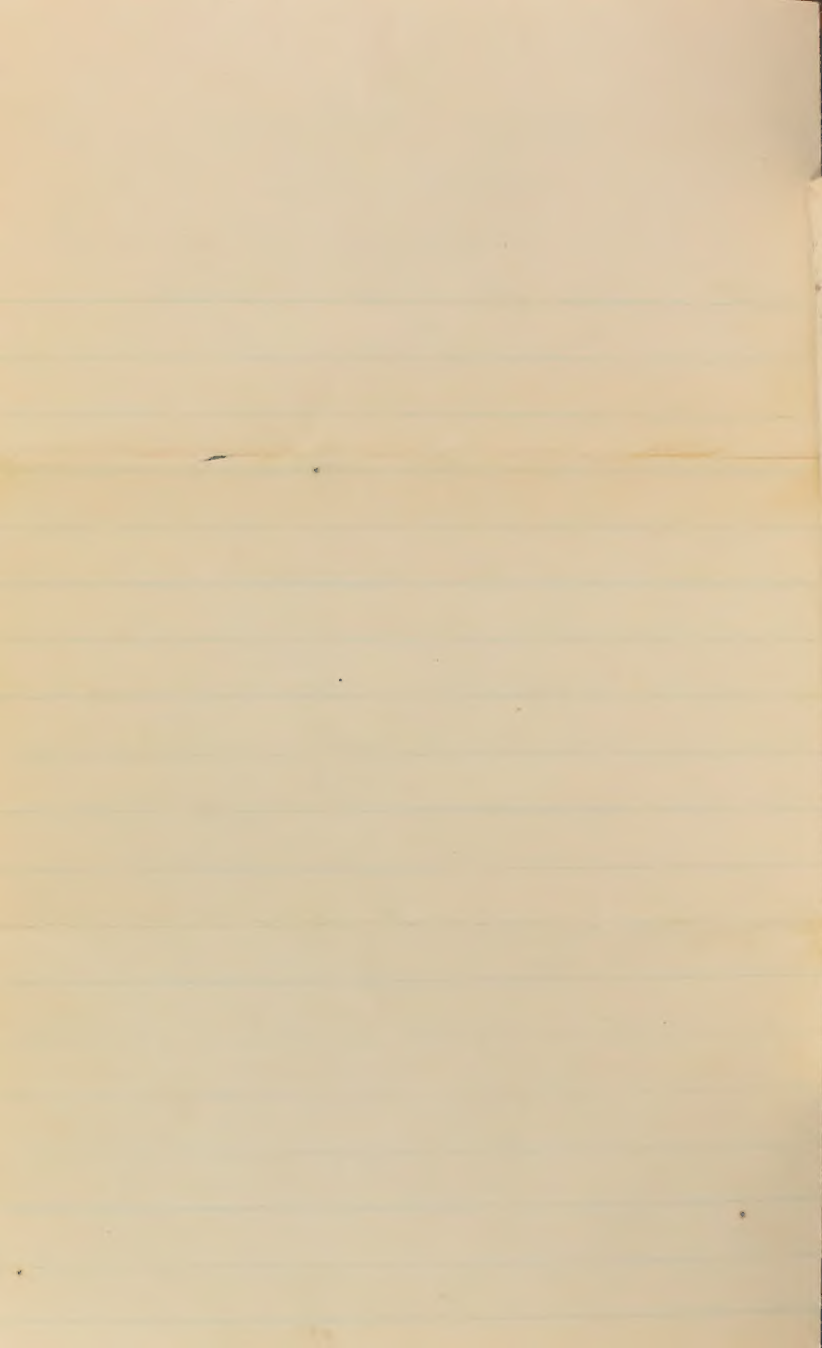
The coin dealer, of London, England
quotes to a person here a fine
1 B Julius caesar for £1.1.0, and a
very fine one for £2.2.0.

When you correspond with Lincoln
I wish you would make inquiry
about an other colonial brass
2 B. with his head, I would like
to fill out the caesars with such,
but would want one in good
plain condition. There was no
Roman brass struck, which seems
to me curious, while silver is common,
I have seen a dozen sicles.

I do not suppose you can fill
all my Roman order, but perhaps
you can send a few of them.

Yours very truly

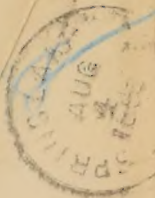
Joseph E. Perkins
30 Warren.



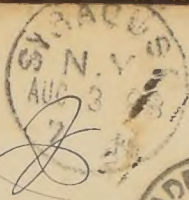
Perkins

Amesbury
NM
order

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Dear Sir



Messrs S. H. & W. Chapman
Dealers in coins

Tremont House 1348 Pine St.
Philadelphia.
Pa

Perkins, Jos. E.

August 13, 1888

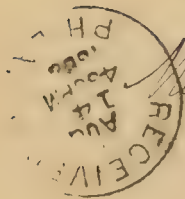
August 14, 1888

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Monday Night, 10 P.M.
Lyonsville, Aug 13/08.

Gents

Your letter of Friday said you had
a parcel that day, which I should have
received on ~~Friday~~ ^{Saturday}, but so far it has
not come to hand. Quite fearing it has
gone astray. If I get it tomorrow morning
I will postal card you. Yours truly
Jos. E. Perkins.



Messrs L. H. & H. Chapman,
1348 Pine St.
Philadelphia,
Pa.

Tuesday Night

Your box arrived at 10 A.M. this morning - it was delayed at Canandaigua. I find several ps I want. will return duly at end of the month. Some of the Greek are very nice, & suit me - Librarian Set also & Louis 15th octagon with several others. will sell some others for you I think. Very truly J. E. P.

REGISTERED STAMPS
POSTAL CARDS

Published by the



Messrs L. H. & H. Chapman,
1348 Pine St.
Philadelphia.

Pa.

Perkins, Jos. E.

[Includes a list of coins kept + returned]

Lynacuse, May 22/90

Wm Chapman

Genl.

I return this day the
balance of your package sent
April 28. and enclose you with
discount off \$16.61. a number of
those sent if they had been in
better condition they would have
been kept, especially the Persian
of lot 55 I took the liberty of
returning you & got in the package
before the ship, which was the
same price (\$1) for which I paid
50¢ difference, for being a fuller
planchard. of lot 4 Phillip 4th.
your invoice said a Little of 4 ps.
but there were only 2 of 2-8.

and being incomplete I thought
I might take one at 25¢
of lot 12 Label 2ed being
incomplete, I thought I might
take the small one, though not
as good as the large, for 25¢.
These three lots did not say
select, if however this is not
a satisfactory story, please say so and
I will return them.

In a couple of months when
I have made a lot of coffers
different from any sent lately
you might send a package
along, but probably not
soon. I may stop in as I
must then be in Washington.

As far as I can see everything
returned is all right of right
is to say please let me know.
Yours very truly
Geo. L. F. Smith
205 Howard St.

<u>Kept.</u>			<u>out</u>	
5		30 4	"	25
6	"	tx 50 12	"	25
10	"	85 19	"	25
13	"	50 20	7 out	2.15
16	"	tx 25 23	1 out	20
28	"	75 27	2 out	1.50
32	"	17 25 30	1 out	25
35	"	75 40	1 out	50
42	"	2 — 45	1 out	75
44	"	45 55	difference	30
49	"	1.25 79	2 out	40
53	"	65 84	1 out	25
63	"	50 —		
80	"	1 —		
83	"	90	over	11.40
<u>11.40</u>			10 off	18.45
				1.84
				<u>16.61</u>

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1631

Dis

174

1.84
86.80

30th Sept 1901



Messrs L. H. & H. Chapman
1348 Pine Street.
Philadelphia
Pa.

Harvey, Jos. F.

1918-1919

1918-1919

Friday Night

Sep. 12/10.

Wm. Luskman

will return balance of

rent on Monday by 10, and will
aprove account for 1/2 year.
I have well to do with the lot very much.
L. L. L.

UNITED STATES

POSTAL

CARD.



NOTHING BUT THE ADDRESSES TO BE ON THIS SIDE.



Messrs J. H. & A. D. Chapman
134th Street, N.Y.
Philadelph.

Perkins, Jos. E.

empty envelope.

Perkins

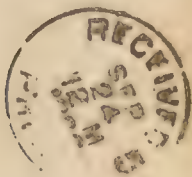
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Cash 41.36

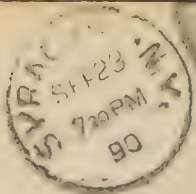
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Nov 1 2.10

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11/27/90



Misses S. H. & H. Chapman
1348 Pine St.
Philadelphia

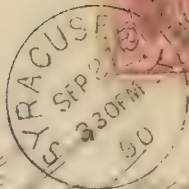
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empty envelope.

John

Dec 1/90.

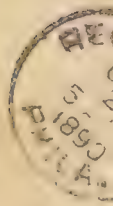
10/11/90



Miss L. M. H. Chapman
1341 Park St
Philadelphia
Pa.

1890

1890





Miss S. H. + H. Chapman
1548 Pine St
Philadelphia
Pa.

[illegible]

Syracuse, Dec. 9/91

Dear Sir

I presume you will be
put out at my keeping your
package so long. as far as
myself is concerned they could
have been returned long ago.
but I kept them some longer
hoping Mr Wright would
have taken some of the medals.
He looked at them in my
store fully half a day, laid
out a lot he thought he
would take, took some home
on approval and kept them
longer than he should, and
then he concluded he could
not afford at the time to

lay out any money. he is very
slow to make up his mind
and is very fickle, in fact
he is too slow and undecided
to bother any more with.
He had quite a sickness and
is only recovering up bi- too
or more months, he has disease
of the bladder, something
which has rarely been cured
finally - but he is young,
slim and very tall, and
possibly may wriggle out of
it! The piece from the sale
was not up to description
of Catalogue which said of
it could only be called
and at best - but I can
sell it for £80 and therefore
will not be much out.
I want a finer one for
so large a sum.

I enclose you \$16.20. and as
far as I can see all is
correct, if there is anything
wrong please let me know.
If I want anything particular
I will write and have them
sent by mail, a couple are
making out lists in full
out sets & when handed in
I will forward them.

Yours very truly
Jos. E. Perkins
206 Warren.

P.S

I am not receiving medals
or I would have been tempted,
for I think they are a very
nice lot, but it looks as
if there is no end to them.

	<u>out</u>				<u>Kept.</u>	
5	4 out	"	80	3	"	25
7	4	"	80	6	"	35
9	1	"	10	8	"	1.00
11	1	"	30	16	"	75
12	2	"	20	17	"	90
13	3	"	45	20	"	30
27	2	"	35	23	"	1.00
30	1	"	2.00	26	"	70
			<u>5.00</u>	29	"	30
				31	"	4.00
				38	"	50
				39	"	75
				33 medical list		50

from
aid.
1.00

11.30

over 5.00

16.30

off 1.63

14.67

coin from Sab. }
with Postage & } 1.53

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Perkins, Jos. E.

July 13, 1904

Syracuse July 13/04.

Gents.

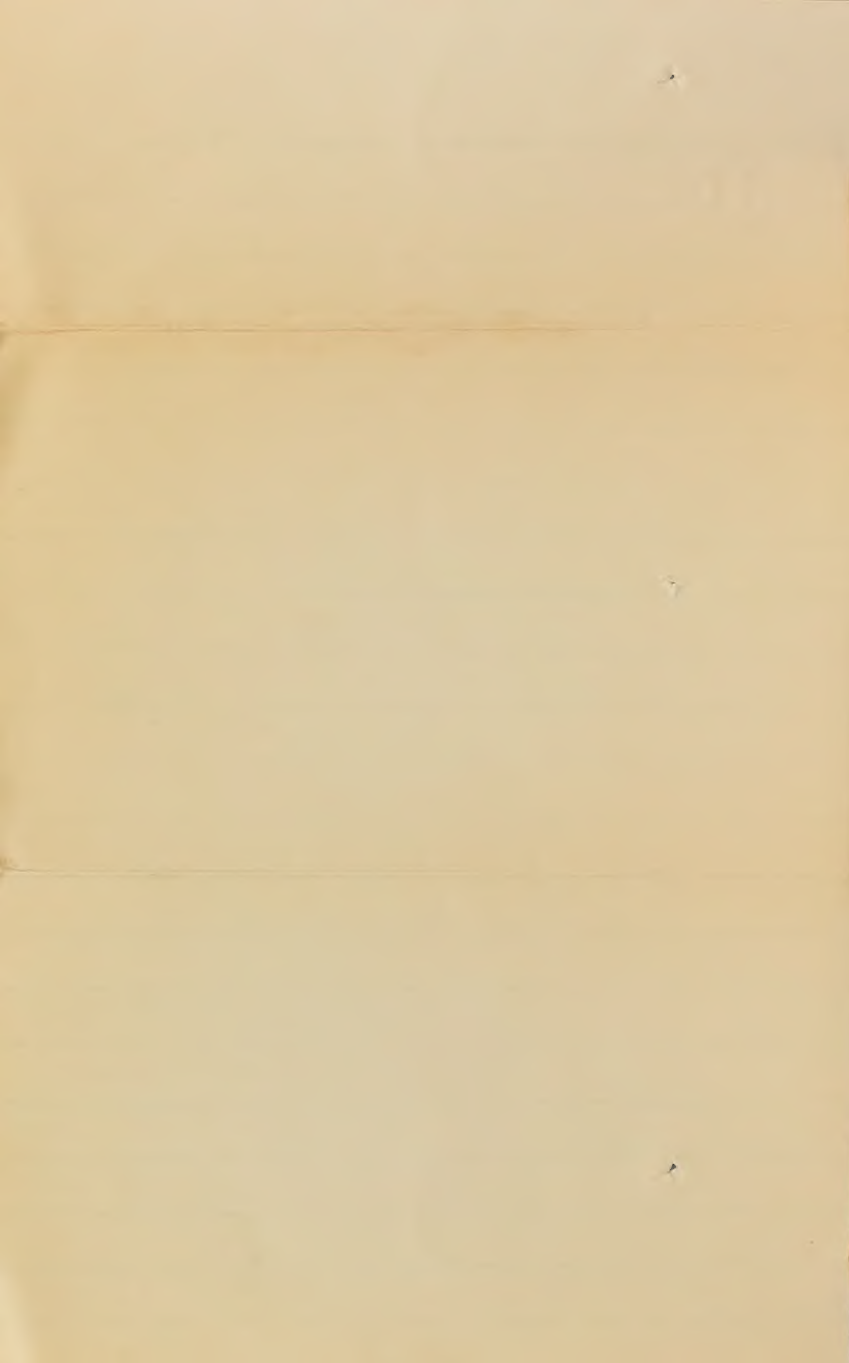
Your coins duly arrived
but the party that wanted them
left town for a few days. I kept
the following three coins: -

No 1 Galba	1 B.	225	2.50
" 5. Vitellius	2 B.	115	4.00
" 6 Titus	1 B.	340 15	6.00
		738	12.50
	Postage		18

12.68

If you have a pretty good Julius Caesar 1 B
and Otto 2 B. please let me know
price & condition. I believe there is
no Otto 1 B genuine.

1268
738
530



From J. E. Perkins
Sydney, N.Y.

Express paid

Cash	\$42.68
Coins	25.00

Acct \$37.68

4/20/64	Cash	12.68
	Ret.	25.50
		38.18

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Memo A. H. & H. Chapman
1348 Pine St.
Philadelphia
Pa

